

## DODGE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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## Dodge County Sheriff's Office Recognized for Excellence in Policy and Training

Last year, Dodge County Sheriff's Office personnel responded to more than 37,381 calls for service, from criminal investigations to mental health crisis interventions to ordinance violations and animal complaints. To maintain a consistent and professional response, the agency relies on comprehensive, up-to-date policies.

Recently, the Dodge County Sheriff's Office was recognized by the Lexipol Connect program for achieving Gold level for consistently and effectively disseminating policies to officers, issuing timely policy updates as laws change and ensuring officers are trained on policies. Lexipol is the nation's leading content, policy and training platform for public safety agencies. The Connect program tracks the sheriff's office's performance on five metrics proven to measure success in policy management.

"Policy – and regularly training on policy – is crucial to the success of the agency. We are proud to be recognized by Lexipol Connect for continuously improving professionalism and safety," says Chief Deputy Scott Mittelstadt.

The Dodge County Sheriff's Office's excellence in policy and policy training enhances community safety by ensuring consistent, effective response based on national best practices.

"Agencies using Lexipol policies are progressive agencies delivering the highest levels of service," says Sheriff Dale Schmidt. "We are excited to be delivering a standard of excellence through our policy development efforts that reduces risk for our personnel, Dodge County and those we serve."

Questions may be directed to Sheriff Dale J. Schmidt.

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